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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 435.

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Application No.: 10/090,478

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Filed: March 3, 2002

Attorney Docket No. **RIFAAT5**

Inventor: Ismail I. Rifaat

Date: June 3, 2002

Title of application: **METHOD FOR INTERACTIVE COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION PROCESSING**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

This is a response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION mailed 04/04/2002, and for which a period for response of two (2) months was set to expire June 4, 2002. In that this response is being timely filed, no extension of time is believed to be required. However, if this is incorrect, please treat this as a petition for the required extension of time and charge the requisite fee to the undersigned Attorney's Deposit Account No. 500330. The Declaration, Filing Fee and late filing fee are being transmitted herewith.

The present inventor continues to claim **Small Entity** status.

Papers enclosed herewith are:

Declaration (1 page);

Copy (Part 2) of the Notice to file missing parts of non-provisional application;

Check payable to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks in the amount of \$435.00 in payment of the basic filing fee and the late fee; and

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